**Content Notes**

**Vocabulary**:

Stimulants: cause increased heart and respiratory rates, elevated blood pressure, dilated pupils, and decreased appetite. In addition, users may experience sweating, headache, blurred vision, dizziness, sleeplessness, and anxiety.

Depressants: produce calmness and relaxed muscles, but larger doses can cause slurred speech, staggering gait, and altered perception.

Information from: http://www.geocities.com/cps17901/Drugs/sad.html

**Types of Stimulants**:

- Amphetamines- capsules, pills and tablets and are taken orally, injected or they are inhaled.

- Methamphetamines- white powder, pills, rock that resembles a block of paraffin; taken orally, injected, smoked or inhaled.

**Types of Depressants**:

-Barbiturates-come in red, yellow, blue, or red and blue capsules and are taken orally.

-Methaqualone-comes in tablet form and is taken orally

-Tranquilizers-come in the form of tablets or capsules and are taken orally.